

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief



Thursday, February 14th 2019
As of 0900 CST

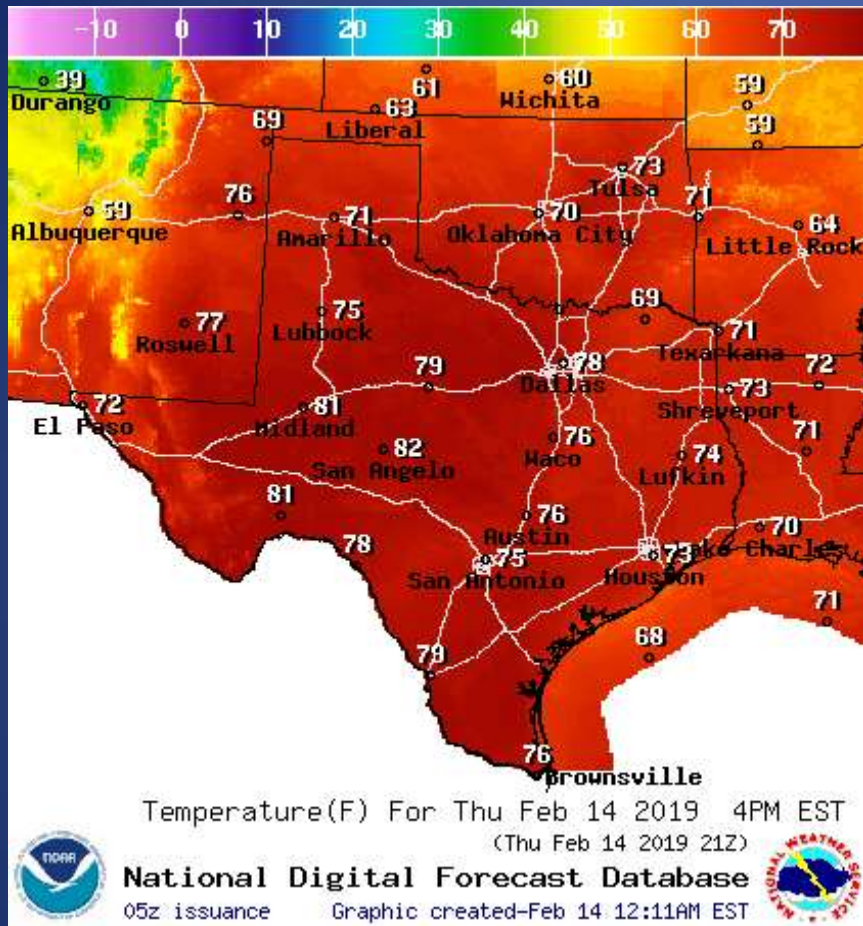
Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
02/13/19	Silver Alert Activation for Austin PD	Travis County	N
02/14/19	Silver Alert Discontinuation for Austin PD	Travis County	Y

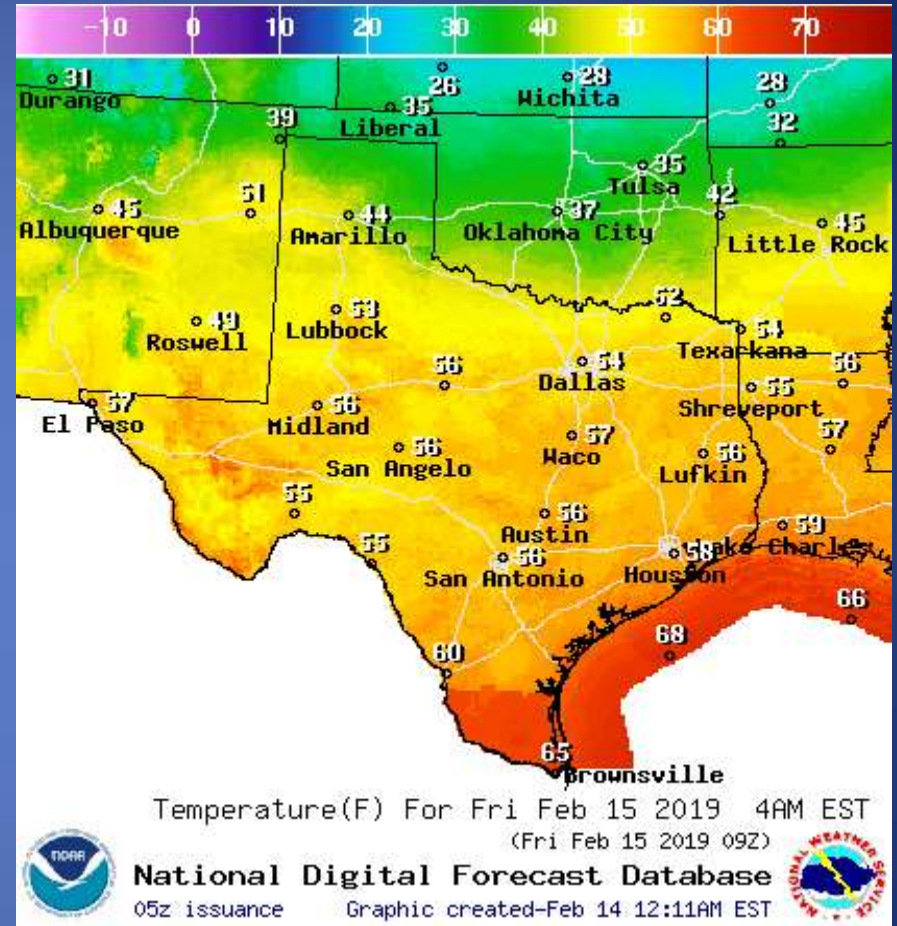
Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
02/13/19	NWS Amarillo - Briefing: Wildfire Potential Today
02/13/19	NWS Amarillo - Fire Weather Briefing: Update for This Afternoon
02/14/19	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Thursday, February 14, 2019 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

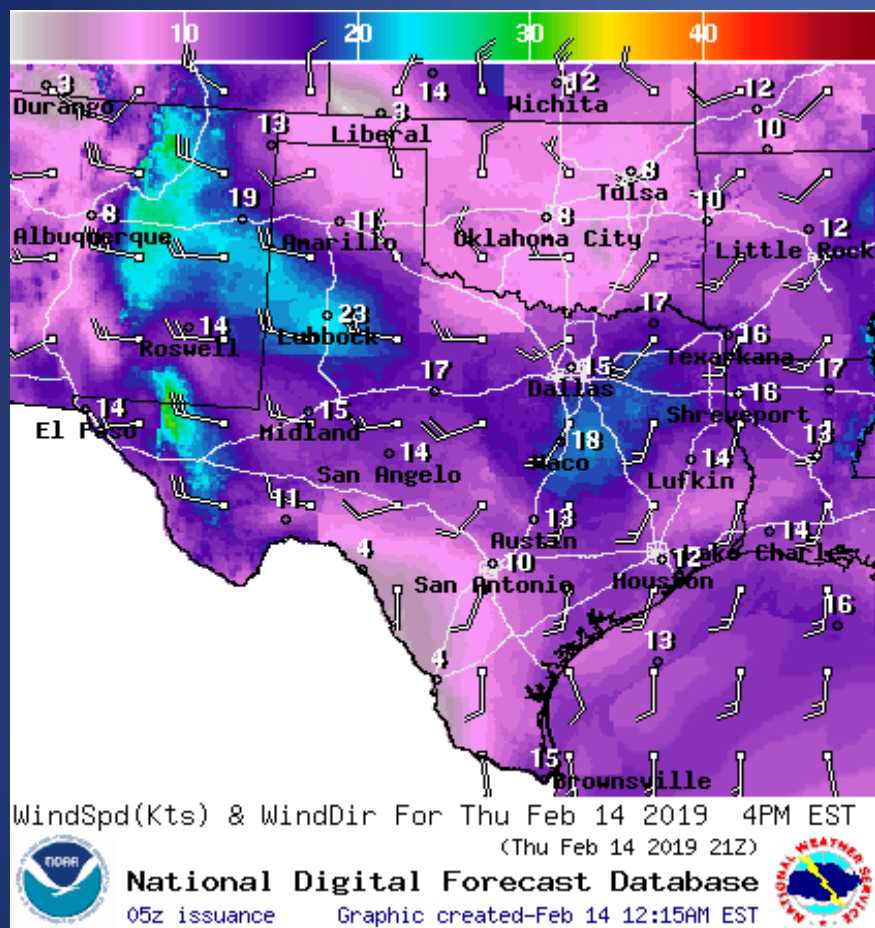


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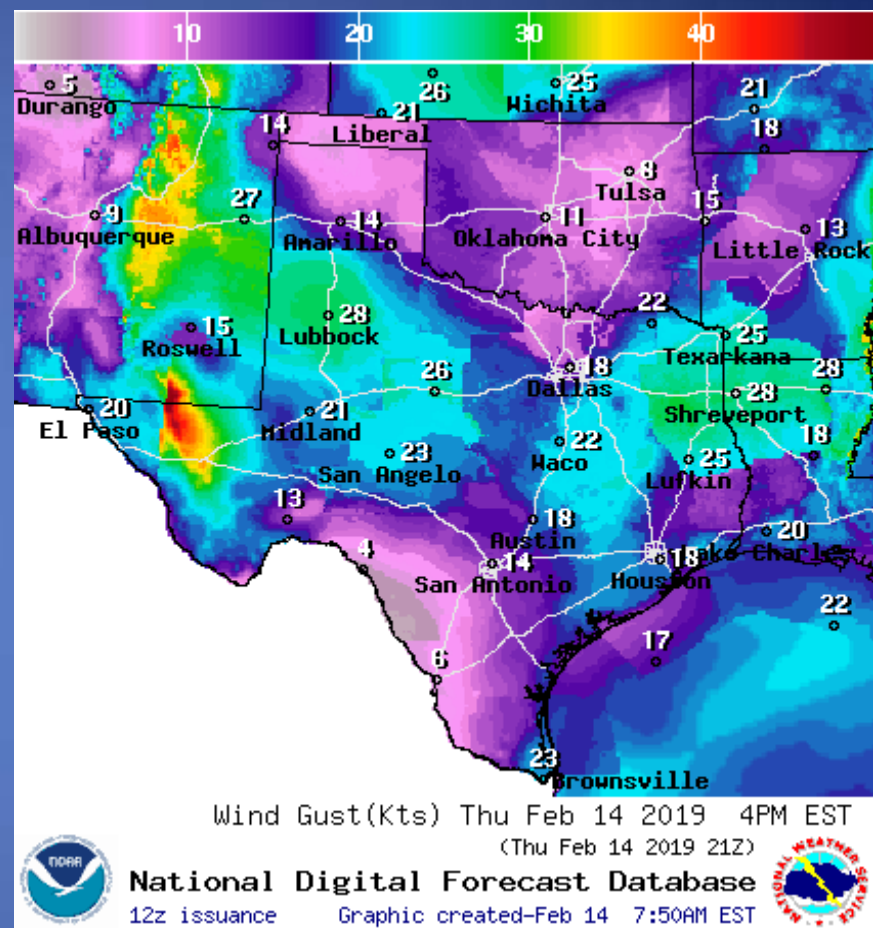


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: Feb 13 2019 1131 PM CST
Valid Until: Feb 15 2019 0600 AM CST

Severe Weather Outlook Thursday, February 14, 2019



Hazardous Weather

Elevated Fire Weather Conditions

Weather Forecast Office

Amarillo, TX

Issued Feb 14, 2019 6:07 AM CST



Now through early Thursday evening

Dry west winds for much of the day.

Be careful with sparks or flames.



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Elevated fire weather conditions are expected today and into the early evening across the southwest, west-central, central and south-central Texas Panhandle. Outdoor burning is discouraged.

Elevated Fire Weather

Weather Forecast Office

Midland/Odessa, TX

Issued February 14, 2019 2:15 AM CT




This afternoon



Relative Humidity:
15 to 18%

Winds:
West 15 to 20 mph. Stronger
Guadalupe Mountains.

Temperatures:
10 to 20 degrees above normal.

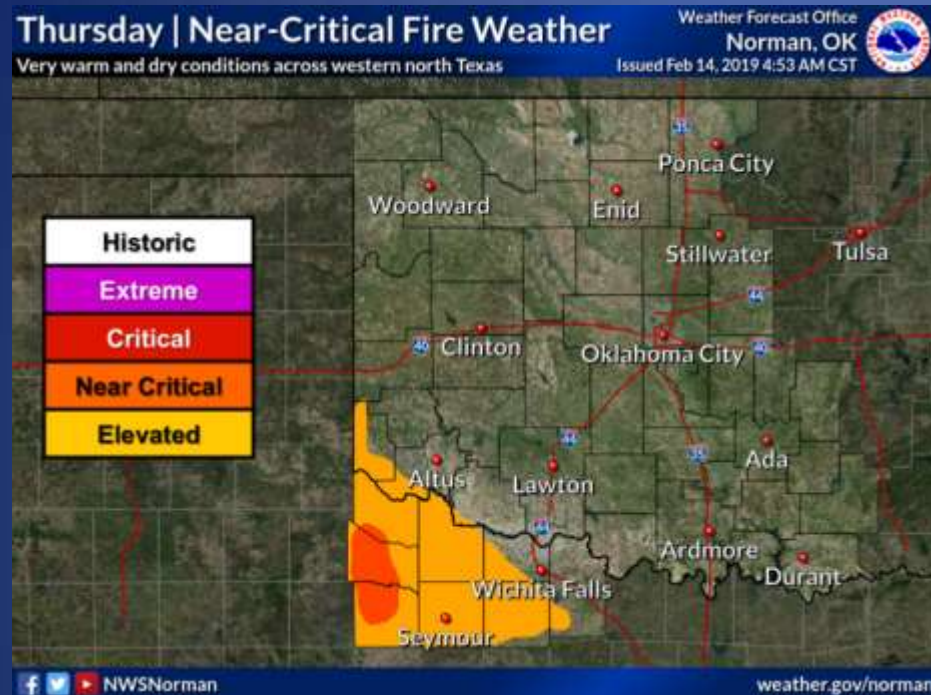
 **Use Caution!** Outdoor burning and activities that cause open sparks or flames are discouraged.

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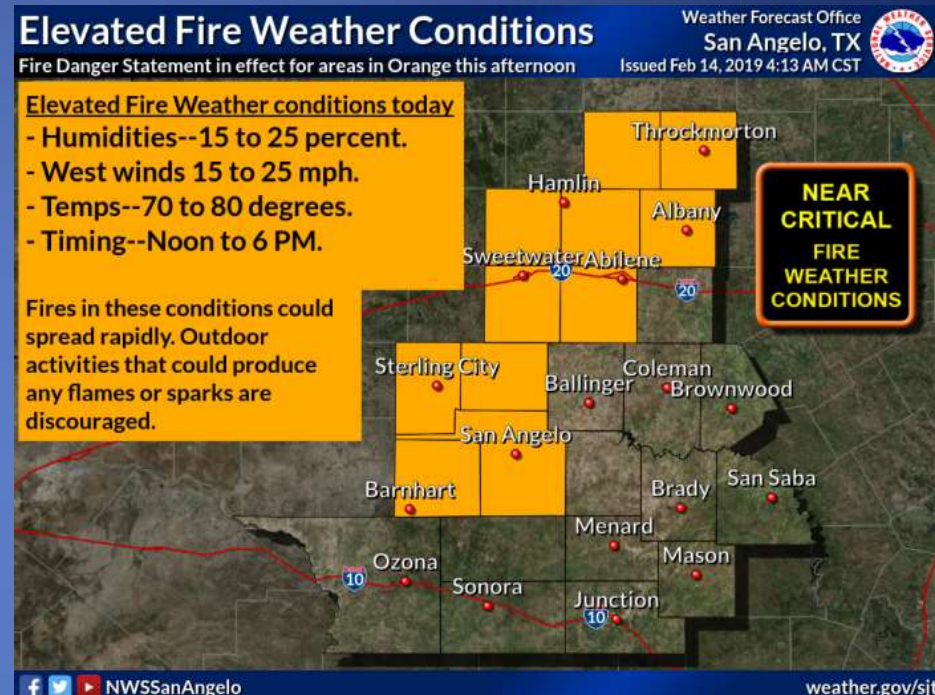
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Unusually warm and dry conditions will result in high fire danger today.

Hazardous Weather



Low humidities, temperatures in the 70s and 80s, and moderate westerly winds will lead to elevated and near-critical fire weather conditions this afternoon across western north Texas.

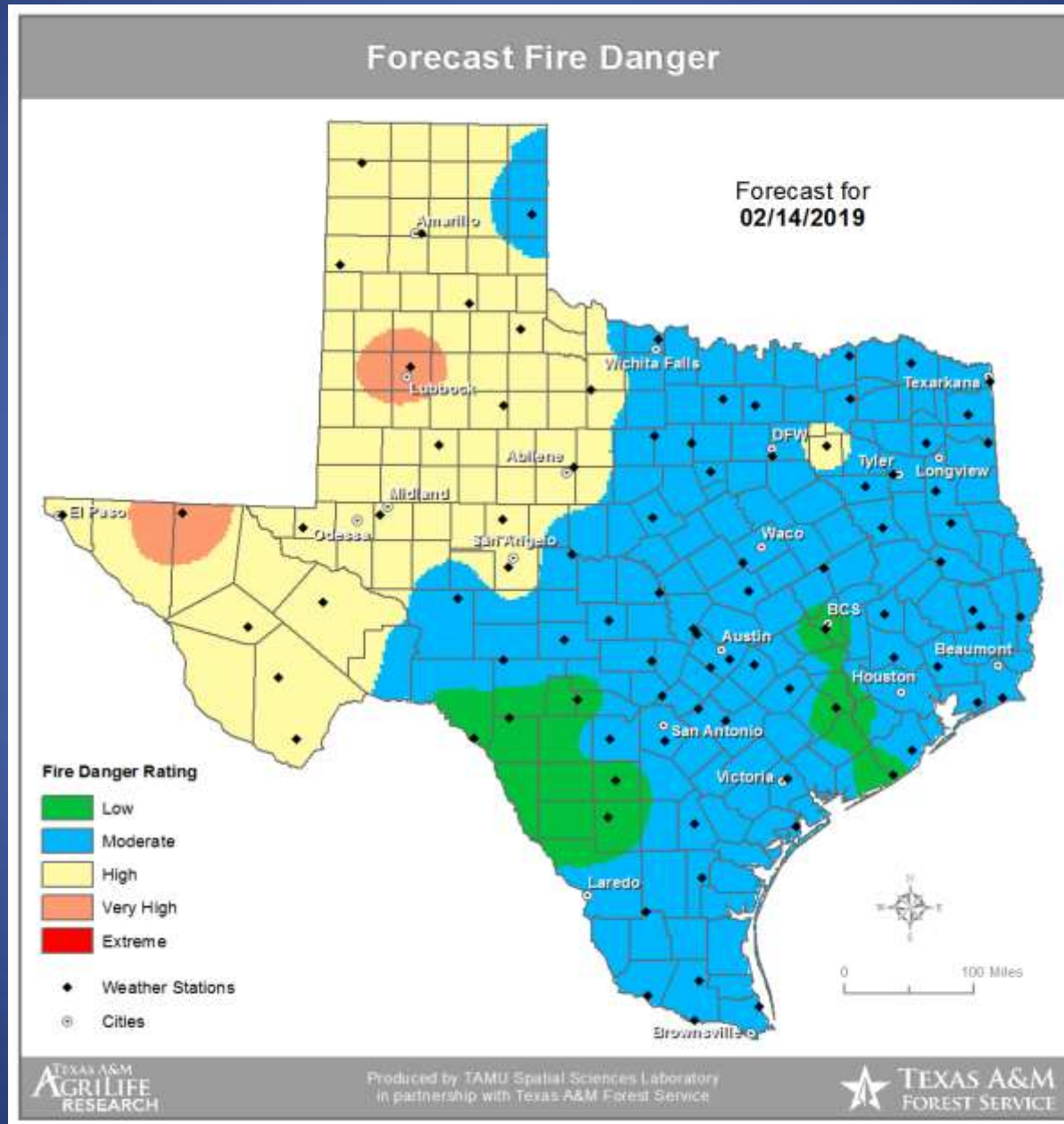


A Fire Danger Statement is in effect for the counties in Orange during the afternoon hours today. Temperatures will warm into the 70s to around 80 degrees, combining with relative humidity values of 15 to 25 percent and west winds of 15 to 25 mph.

Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
02/13/19	Flood Warning	Neches River Near Neches Affecting Anderson County
02/14/19	High Wind Warning	Culberson County

Fire Danger Forecast



Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

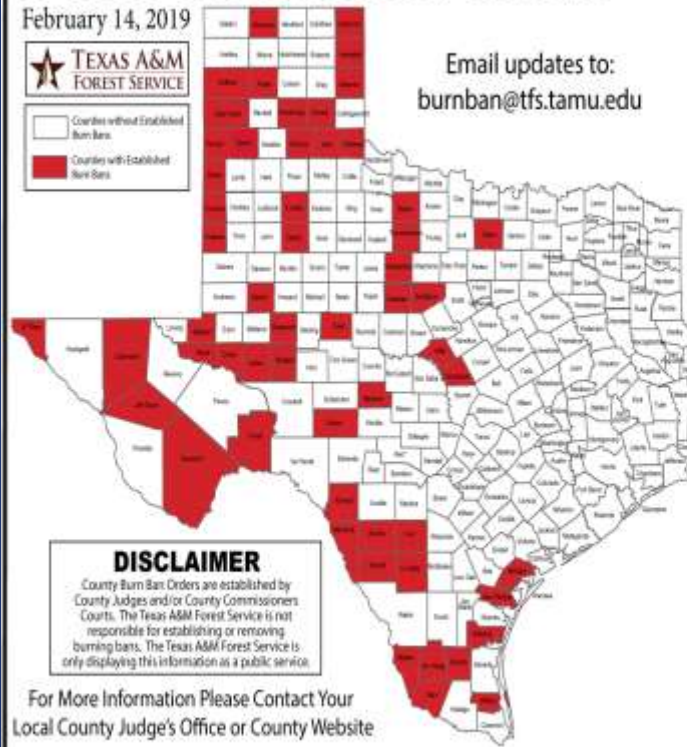
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Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties with Burn Bans: 56

Armstrong
Baylor
Brewster
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Brooks
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Caldwell
Cameron
Childress
Cochran
Coke
Cottle
Crosby
Culberson
Deaf Smith
Denton
Donley
Eastland
El Paso
Floyd
Garza
Glasscock
Hall
Hemphill
Jeff Davis
Jim Hogg
Karnes
Kaufman
La Salle
Lampasas
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Shackelford
Sherman
Sutton
Tarrant
Terrell
Throckmorton
Upton
Ward
Wheeler



DISCLAIMER

County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

For More Information Please Contact Your
Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov

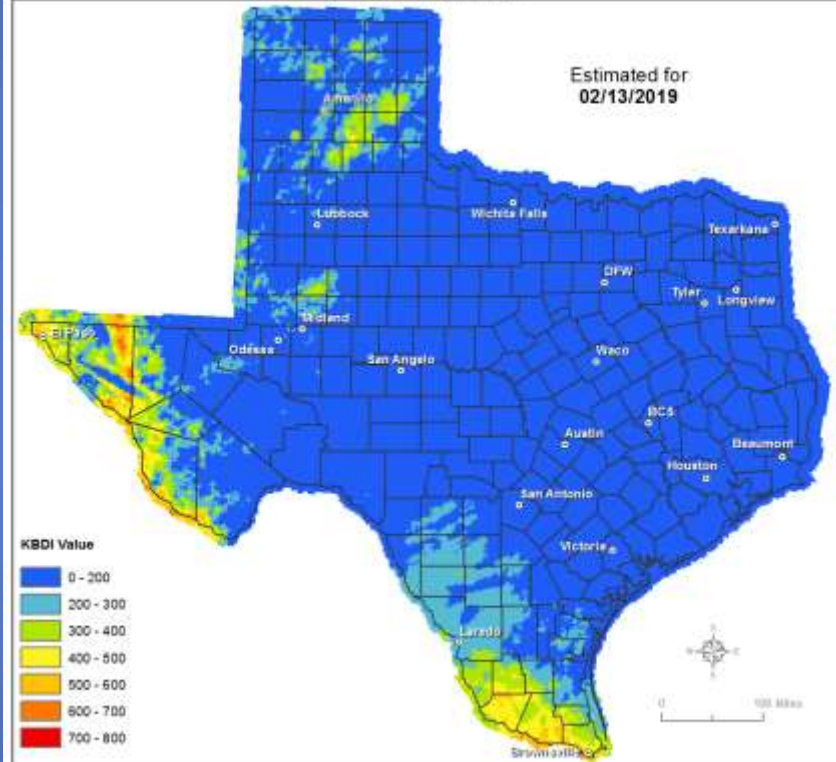
Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsrhp.tamu.edu/wildfires/BurnBan.xml>

1. Burn bans affect land owned by the state.
2. Burn bans affect land owned by the county.

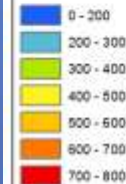
Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
02/13/2019



KBDI Value



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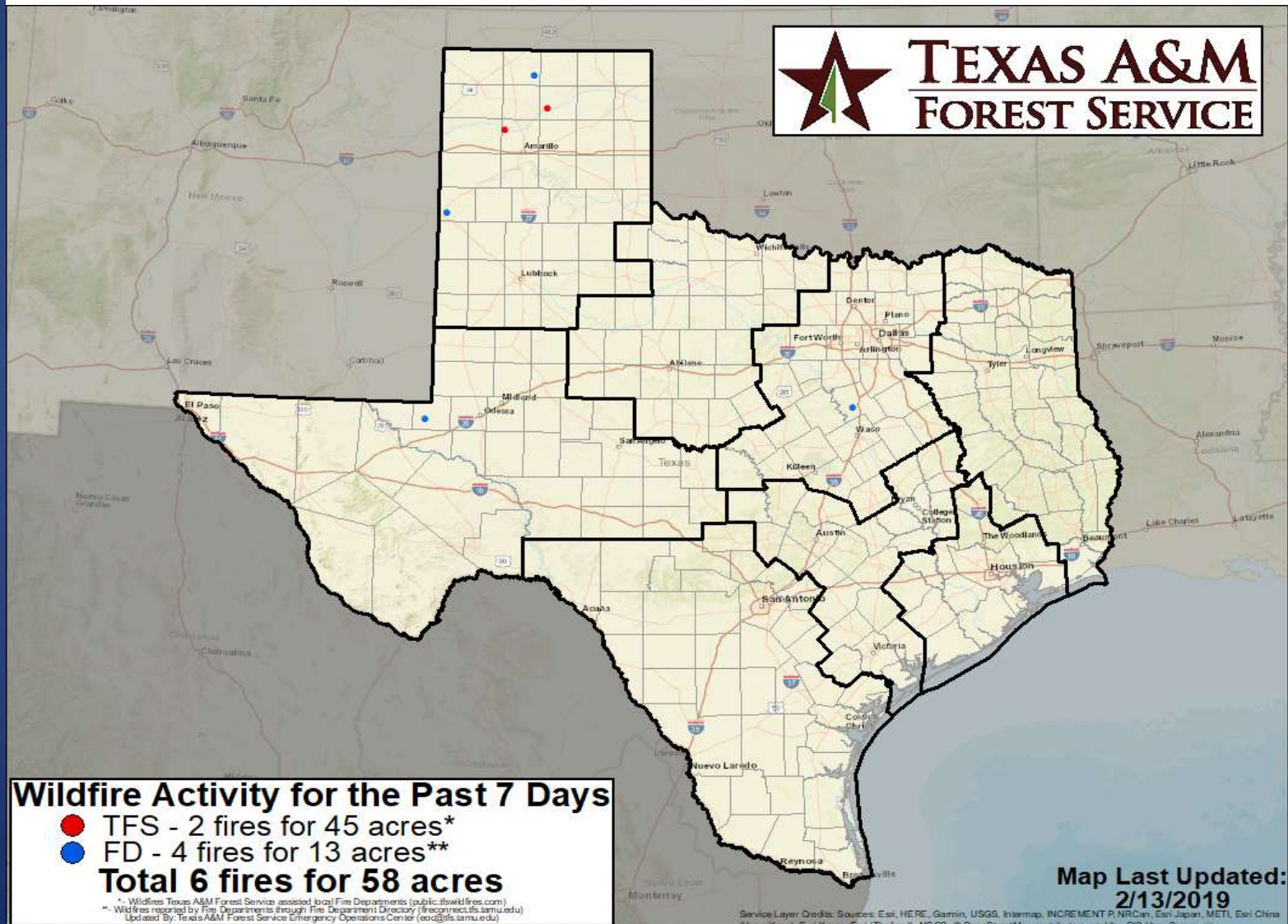
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Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
02/14/19	Fire Danger Statement	Andrews, Bailey, Borden, Brewster, Briscoe, Castro, Childress, Crane, Cottle, Cochran, Coke, Crosby, Culberson, Dawson, Dickens, Ector, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Gaines, Garza, Glasscock, Hale, Hall, Hardeman, Haskell, Hockley, Howard, Irion, Jeff Davis, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Lamb, Loving, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Motley, Nolan, Parmer, Pecos, Presidio, Reagan, Reeves, Scurry, Shackelford, Sterling, Stonewall, Swisher, Taylor, Terrell, Terry, Throckmorton, Tom Green, Upton, Ward, Winkler and Yoakum Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 9 (No Change) fires and 2,390 (+3) acres destroyed this year. There are 56 (No Change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 4 (no change) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
01/15/19	02/16/19	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Leander
01/31/19	02/14/19	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Bryan
02/11/19	02/14/19	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Fort Worth
02/11/19	02/15/19	NFPA 472 HazMat Technician - Pro-Board Certification	H-501	San Antonio
02/12/19	02/14/19	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Houston
02/12/19	02/14/19	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Temple
02/12/19	02/15/19	Debris Management	G-202	Dickinson
02/13/19	02/14/19	Advanced Incident Command System, Command and General Staff	G-400	Richland Hills
02/13/19	02/15/19	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Corpus Christi

Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
02/14/19	02/14/19	Texas Public Officials Workshop	G-200	Plainview
02/14/19	02/21/19	Advanced Incident Command System, Command and General Staff	G-400	Bryan

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
02/14/19	02/14/19	FEMA Emergency Management Institute	VTTX: Cyber Coordination

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
01/08/19	05/27/19	Austin	86 th Texas Legislature
02/07/19	02/24/19	San Antonio	San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo
02/14/19	02/25/19	Laredo	FESTIVAL: Washington's Birthday Celebration Association